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UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Brunotte et al.

CASE: OST-031201

RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION

SER. NO.: 10/714,573

FILING DATE: November 14, 2003

FOR: PROJECTION LENS AND
MICROLITHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION
EXPOSURE APPARATUS

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 7, 2004. Please consider the following remarks towards reconsideration and allowance of the present application.

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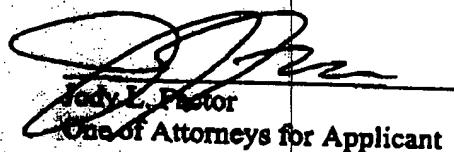
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In light of the foregoing, Applicant hereby respectfully requests a refund of the \$36.00 fee associated with serial number 10/714,573 in the form of a credit to Applicants Attorney's deposit account number 50-0545.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (312) 226-1818 is respectfully invited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 29, 2004



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One of Attorneys for Applicant

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